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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

WEDNESDAY, *October* 21, 1747.

LONDON, June 23.

WE hear that the Sea Ports ſwarm with Smugglers from Boulogne, who have taken the Benefit of the late Act of Grace, and are haſtening to certain Elections.

The Monies already received for the Duties on Coaches, &c. amount to 48,000 l. and there are ſeveral Receivers who have not yet ſent in their Accounts.

As the Act of Parliament for prohibiting the importing and wearing of French Cambrick commences on Wedneſday next, the Iriſh and Scotch Manufacturers of that Commodity, are daily ſending large Quantities to Town for the Benefit of the Beau Monde, who, it is hoped, will think that our own Manufacture, which employs ſo many Thouſands of induſtrious Poor, more valuable than that of our Enemies.

We are credibly informed that a Bill will be brought into the New Parliament, to take away *the Liberty of the Preſs*, agreeable to what is laid down in a new Miniſterial Pamphlet, called *A Letter to the Tories*: A Work unworthy any Man but a Diſciple of Cardinal Tencin.

Extract of a Letter from Liverpool, June 16.

By the Kouli-Kan arriv'd at Glaſgow from Jamaica, we have the following Account, That the Ogden, Triſtram, of this Place from Africa bound to Jamaica, with 370 Slaves, was attack'd by a Spaniſh Privateer off the Eaſt End of Jamaica, and after an obſtinate Reſiſtance ſtruck. The Spaniards were ſo irritated with their Bravery, that when they came on board, they, in the moſt cruel Manner, murder'd both Whites and Blacks: But as a juſt Puniſhment, the Prize ſoon after ſunk, and the Murderers all periſh'd except one Man, five Boys, and nine Negroes.

A few Days ſince the Rev. Mr. Thomas Ward, Curate of Brockley, and late a Member of St. John's College, Cambridge, was inſtituted and inducted into the *Mother of All Saints*, in Suffolk, worth 600 l. per Annum; and was preſented to the ſame by Mrs. Rebecca Gibſon, Relict of the late Rev. Mr. Edgar Gibſon, of Wetheringſet, with this particular Reſtriction, That (though his Church is very capacious, and requires ſtrict Duty) no one ſhould, upon the greateſt Emergency, officiate for him, nor he for any other.

An odd Affair happen'd on board the Vernon Tranſport, Capt. Mitchelſon, arriv'd at Deptford: A Perſon went that Day and paid a Viſit to a Friend of his that belong'd to the ſaid Ship, who gave him ſo hearty a Welcome, that he got confoundedly drunk, and lay that Night in a Hammock next his Friend, who call'd to him in the Morning as ſoon as he perceiv'd him awake, to know whether he would drink a Dram, but the Man anſwer'd in a great Paſſion, that he would never drink with him again, for he had bit off one of his Ears: Upon the whole it appear'd, that the Man had loſt an Ear, which could not otherwiſe be accounted for than that a Rat had gnaw'd it off.

From a late London Magazine.

We are aſſured, that Mr. Buffon, who has lately made a Diſcovery in France of a Speculum, which ſets Objects on Fire at the Diſtance of 120 Yards, has alſo written a Diſſertation, to prove, that there is nothing either falſe or abſurd in the Account we have of the Burning of the Roman Ships at the Siege of Syracuſe by Archimedes; which Diſcourſe of his was highly applauded in the Academy of Sciences. There are already at Paris 7 Mirrors eſteemed the fineſt in Europe. 1. That made by the Sieur Vilette at Lyons, which is kept at the Royal Library, is of Metal, and burns by Reflection. 2. Another by the ſame Hand, 43 Inches in Diameter. 3. That of the Sieur de la Garouſte, a Gentleman of Quercy, 61 Inches in Diameter, and is kept at the Obſervatory. 4. The Saxon Mirror, made by the famous M. Tſchernhaus, is of Copper, and bigger than any of thoſe above mentioned. 5. Another of Glaſs, by the ſame Hand, which burns by Refraction. 6. The Mirror of Orleans, made for the late Duke Regent, by the ſame Tſchernhaus, the Focus of which is at 12 Feet diſtance, and has hitherto been eſteemed inimitable. 7. That of the celebrated Haerſoeker, which is of Glaſs, and was made in the Year 1704.

Whitehall, June 23.

The King has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Pelham, George Lyttleton, Henry Legge, and John Campbel, Eſqrs. together with George Grenville, Eſq; to be his Majeſty's Commiſſioners for executing the Office of Treaſurer of the Exchequer.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint his Grace John Duke of Bedford, the Right Honourable John Earl of Sandwich, Vere Beauclerk, Eſq; commonly called Lord Vere Beauclerk, the Right Honourable John Lord Anſon, the Right Honourable William Viſcount Barrington, and William Ponſonboy, commonly called Lord Duncannon, together with Welbore Ellis, Eſq; to be Commiſſioners for executing the Office of High Admiral of Great-Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Iſlands, and Territories thereto reſpectively belonging.

July 28. They write from Genoa, of the 10th Inſtant, N. S. that Numbers of People ſtill continue to die of the Diſeaſes occaſioned by their cloſe Confinement during the Siege, that a great Body of Auſtrian Troops remain at the Bochatta, and that the Country round about was ſo entirely ruined, that they could ſcarce draw from it any Subſiſtence. On the other Hand they ſay, that the King of the Two Sicilies made them a Preſent of three armed Veſſels, compleatly equipped and mann'd, which were already put to Sea under Genoeſe Colours; that the Marqueſs de Fogliani, Prime Miniſter to that Monarch, had given Aſſurances to the Senate, that his Maſter's Forces were on the Point of marching to their Aſſiſtance, and that they expected 6 or 7000 Spaniſh Troops hourly from Monaco; which, joined to the Troops of the Republick, and the Auxiliaries before arrived, would enable them to take the Field with an Army of 20,000 Men, for the Uſe of which, they were actually preparing two Trains, one of Field Pieces, the other of battering Cannon.

Orders are giving for building, with the utmoſt Expedition, ſeveral Men of War, from 20 to 50 Guns.

The Diſtemper amongſt the Horned Cattle continuing ſtill in ſome Parts of the County of Suffolk, the Magiſtrates of Ipſwich have, in Purſuance of his Majeſty's Order of Council, given ſtrict Order that no Horned Cattle ſhall be brought to the Fair to be held there, on the 11th of Auguſt.

Extract of a Letter from Rotterdam, Auguſt 1.

The Town of Bergen-op-Zoom continues to defend itſelf in a moſt gallant Manner. Laſt Week the French alter'd their Situation, not being able to carry their Point on the Fort they attacked, called Kyck in de Pot, from which they were beat off with conſiderable Loſs. They then found it neceſſary to carry a Fort on the Lines between Bergen and Steenberg, called Rover's Scance, in order to force our Lines, and cut off the Communication to the Town. Preparations were made accordingly, and the Attack begun on Sunday Morning laſt, at Eleven o'Clock, which Fire was more terrible than any we have yet heard; altho' the Wind blew hard, and at North East, it was heard here without ceaſing till near the Evening, and ſome of the Shocks were ſo ſtrong on the Keys here, that as you ſat, you certainly could feel your Chair ſhake, and the whole Room affected therewith. At Night we heard no more, nor all Monday, and not hearing any News from thence, we began here to be in great Pain for the Town till this Morning, when all the Letters agree that the French were beat off from the Rover Scance with very conſiderable Loſs, and that they had not yet been able to gain one Foot of Ground.

The Deſcription we have from thence, by Maſters of Veſſels, is, that the Fire from both Parties is as if the Mouth of Hell was open, vomiting Flames. A Reinforcement of 14000 Men from the Duke are come down for the Defence of the Town and Lines, and 'tis thought will enter the ſame this Evening.

From

From Maestricht both Armies continue in the same Situation, tho' 'tis said by some the French King will send his whole Army before Bergen but he will take it. Various are the Opinions of People on the Subject; in general, 'tis thought the French can't take it.

I forgot to observe, that on Sunday we had the good Fortune to fire two Carts of the French, in the Rear of their Lines, full of Powder, which did them considerable Damage.

BOSTON, September 21.

Wednesday last about 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon an Accident somewhat surprizing happened at the South Part of this Town,— As a Blacksmith was striking a welding Heat in his shop, 'tis suppos'd a spark of Fire from the Iron got thro' some Crevice of a Partition, and entering the next shop fell into a small Kegg of Gun Powder upon a shelf, suppos'd to be about ten Pounds, which in a Moment blew up, and shatter'd the said shop and the House in a terrible Manner, and the Goods therein were much burnt and spoil'd, to the Damage of several Hundred Pounds.—Thro' the divine Favour no Person received any dangerous Hurt; a Child was something scorch'd. The Explosion was so violent as to break the Windows of some of the Houses opposite, and caused a shock to be felt at a great Distance like an Earthquake, with the Noise as of a Cannon.

We are inform'd by Capt. Austel, who arrived a few Days ago from Lisbon, that being lately at Port Mahon, one Evening while he was lying there, a Fire broke out in the King's Captain House, a large Fabrick of 150 Feet in length, which entirely consumed the same, with all the Stores aloft, among which were two or three Suits of Sails belonging to four Men of War of 80 Guns, besides a great Quantity of Rigging, &c. so that the said Ships could not put to Sea until they had got a Supply of Sails from other Men of War for which they were obliged to send to Gibraltar and other Places.

A Letter from a Gentleman at Amsterdam, dated the 8th of July last, after giving a particular Account of the late Engagement in Flanders, adds, That the Duke very narrowly escaped being killed or wounded, and was by main Force pull'd away from most imminent Danger:---That the French, because they stay'd in the Field a Quarter of an Hour longer than we did, call'd it a Victory; but half a Dozen such Victories would ruin them. They did not pursue their Victory as they call it, a Foot; neither did we lose one Piece of Cannon in the Retreat---I dare say the French won't attack us again in haste.---They have lost a great Number of their Gens d' Arms, and best Troops---They say the Duke charg'd himself at the Head of the Cavalry---.

Extract of a Letter from St. George's Fort, dated Sept. 8. 1747.

I have to inform you, That Saturday last, being the 5th Instant, the Indians having observed the Morning steps of the Block house People going to Work at the Lime Rocks, artfully ambushed themselves in three Places, in order to surround them, and cut them all off, by cutting off their Retreat to this Garrison; but two of our People going before, obliged the Ambush to discover themselves sooner than they intended, by shooting those two dead, and firing briskly upon the rest, who returned it smartly, and preserved their Communication with this Garrison: At the same time Capt. Bradbury and about 20 of this Fort sallied out and came timeously to their Assistance, and had a smart Engagement about an Hour and an half, and then the Indians drew off, leaving three dead on the spot, and lugging another with them, which no doubt they have hid near us, besides many appear'd halt and wounded, being supported and assisted by others of them. In this Engagement, which was fought with Courage and Resolution on both sides, we had 4 kill'd and 3 wounded, but not mortally: Tho' our Loss is considerable, yet it is some Alleviation that the Indians have nothing to boast of, having not succeeded as in their former Attempts, but met with as good Artists among stumps as themselves. Had their been a sufficient Number of Men here to have sallied out and flank'd them, few of 'em could have escaped; the most competent Beholders, as well as others engaged, think their Number did not exceed 30, and most, if not all, of Penobscot Tribe, the 3 dead being all of that Tribe, and well known to Capt. Bradbury, Capt. Bean, and many others. Our dead are two from the Westward, and two of our former Settlers, which next Day were decently interred at the Burying place near this Fort. The Names of those kill'd are, John Kilpatrick, Nathan Bradley, John Vose and Benjamin Harvey, the two former of which they scalp'd.

Sept. 24. Last Tuesday Night came here by Land from New-York, Capt. Barnabas Binney, who informs, That on the 10th of July last, he sail'd from the West Indies, in a Sloop belonging to this Port, was taken the Day after by a Privateer Sloop of 8 Carriage and 12 Swivel Guns and 55 Men, fitted out from St. John's at Porto Rico, commanded by one Capt. Lucas, who carried him into that Port——Immediately after he was taken, those Villians strip'd him and his Men of all their Cloathing, and put on him some of their nasty old Garments, and the Men but just enough to cover their Nakedness: After that the Captain of the Privateer, from a shew of Kindness, returned Capt. Binney his own Cloaths, but kept his Money: The Master on board the Prize, when they arrived into Porto Rico Harbour told Capt. Binney to go down into the Cabbin and shift himself, in order to go before the Governor; and while there, the said Master with another of the Ruffians drew their Cutlasses and by Force obliged him to deliver to them all his Cloaths, Gold Buttons, &c. and gave him only an old Shirt and Waistcoat and a pair of ragged Breeches.—Having continued at Porto Rico three Weeks, they fitted out the same Privateer as a Flag of Truce, and put on board her Capt Binney and all his Men except the Mate, as also Capt. Randal of New London and his Men, who were taken by the same Privateer two Days after Capt. Binney: In this Flag of Truce they purposed for St. Thomas's; but in 30 Hours after their Departure the Vessel run ashore at a Key off the Island Passage, where she stranded, but the People got ashore upon the Key, and saw a small Schooner, a Turtler, at about a Mile Distance, to which they made Signals of Distress, but the Turtler fearing to venture ashore, only return'd signs of Friendship; whereupon Capt. Binney and Randal with two others strip'd and swam from the Key about half a Mile to the Island, and they went round 4 Miles by Land and got to the Schooner, which then upon went to the Key and took all the English People on board, also two Priests which had with them about 10,000 Dollars, of whom they took but 25 Dollars each for their Passage: The rest of the Spaniards refusing to pay any Thing for their Passage. They left them upon the said Key, from whence by order of the Governor of St. Thomas they were fetch'd soon after in a Boat.—Capt. Binney came Passenger in Capt. Tayle to New York.——We are also inform'd, that Capt. Benjamin Nichols of Rhode-Island, who was taken by another Privateer from Porto Rico, was treated very cruelly; for, proposing a ransom his Vessel, they imagin'd he had a great deal of Money conceal'd on board; and in order to make him confess, they tortur'd him with Thumb Screws, whereby one of his Thumbs was crush'd to pieces, and the other, with a Finger much bruis'd, by hard squeezing.

Sept. 28. We have Advice by a Vessel from Louisbourg in 10 Days, That his Majesty's Sloop Hind, with the Schooner Spry, being on a Cruize the beginning of this Month, had very hard Gales of Wind off Chepeaurouge Point, and 'twas with Difficulty that the Spry escap'd being drove ashore by a violent Gust of Wind which rose about 11 o'Clock at Night: The Hind, at Evening was near to the Spry, but was miss'd the next Morning; and by the Gratings of the Hatch-ways, Coops, Boats, Oars, and sundry other Things seen floating afterward on the Water, 'tis concluded she foundered, and that the whole Crew, 'tis said above 100 Men, lost their Lives: The Spry got into Louisbourg the next Day; but nothing had been heard of the Hind when this Vessel sail'd, which was 9 Days after the Spry arriv'd.

We hear likewise from Louisbourg, That Capt. Crookshank late Commander of the Lark, is suspended and confined in his Cabbin, on Account of his late Misconduct, when the Warwick was engaging the Spanish Man of War, as lately mentioned; and that Capt. Hughes, Brother to the Capt. of the Hind, is made Commander in his Room.

Yesterday Capt. Brown arrived here in a Snow from Philadelphia. He was bound to Cape-Fear, but unfortunately taken on his Passage thither by a small Spanish Privateer Schooner from St. Augustine, who took seven of his Men from him, leaving him only his Merchant, Mate, and two Boys, and having put 6 Spaniards on board, with Orders to steer for St. Augustine, five Days after Brown happily found Means to secure the Spaniards, without bloodshed, to whom he gave his Boat to carry them ashore, and we have since heard of their Arrival in North-Carolina.

We have a Report in Town, that the brave Capt. Fisherman of Pennicook, and another Man, were lately waylaid and killed by the Indians, as they were returning from their Work in the Woods.

We hear from the Eastward, that on the 19th Instant the Indians kill'd three Men at Sheepscut, viz. Father, Son, and Son-in-Law, as they were crossing the River in a Canoe.

NEW-YORK, September 28.

Last Week Col. *Johnson* arrived here from *Albany*, with nine of the Chiefs of the six Nations of Indians, who, 'tis said, are come with a Design to know, whether the English will certainly make any Attempt on the French Settlements this Year, or not.—In their late Excursion to *Lake Sacrament*, they did not meet with any of the Enemy.

Yesterday the notorious *Tom Bell* was committed to the Jail of this City.

PHILADELPHIA, October 15.

Extract of a Letter from St. John's, Newfoundland, dated September 9. 1747.

"Captain Wickham, in his Majesty's ship Panther of 50 guns, having received Advice of 50 or 60 sail of Frenchmen fishing to the Northward, under the Protection of a 36 and 20 Gun ship, sailed the 20th ult. in order to take them; and manned, and took with him, two ships of 26 carriage guns, and 26 swivels each (one of them Capt. Waters, from this Place) a Brigt. of 20 Guns, and a Schooner, to serve as a Spy."

Another letter from the same place, September 19. mentions, "That some Prisoners were arrived there, who made their escape from Carruce to Carbinner, and saw three Ships, a Brigt. and a Schooner, (which agrees exactly with Capt. Wickham's Number) going into Carruce, where lay 6 Sail, almost loaded with Fish, of no Force; the Prisoners say further, that in several other Harbours there lay about the same Number of Vessels; so that they daily expect the agreable News of all, or most of them, being taken."

By several Passengers come to Town this Morning with Capt. Hall, in a Snow coming up from Antigua, we are informed that there happened a great Hurricane on the 19th of September last, in which 50 Sail of Vessels were lost at St. Eustatia, and above 300 drowned Persons drove on Shore; the Damage at that Island is said to be a Million of Dollars: That 5 Vessels were lost at St. Kitts, one of which was a new Ship, belonging to this Place, and the People all drowned, except the Captain, Faulkner, who was on Shore; and one Vessel at Antigua. Considerable Damage is likewise done at the other Islands.

Capt. M'Colough, in a Brigt of this Place, bound to Antigua, was taken within 5 Leagues of that Island, and carried into Guardaloupe. And

Captain Douglas, in a Sloop from this Place for Coracoa, is also taken and carried into the same Port.

The Captains Harper, Hall, and Worsdale, bound to Jamaica from this Place, are all taken; the two first carried to St. Jago de Cuba, the other to Leoganne.

We have a Confirmation from Cape Breton of the Hynd Sloop of War being lost; and that Capt. Crookshanks, of the Lark, was to be sent home.

ANNAPOLIS.

We hear from *Baltimore* County, that a Negro Man is in Goal there, for a Rape committed on a white Girl about 10 Years of Age; and that the Child is since dead.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,

Shallop Charming Molly, Thomas Tyler, from Virginia.
Ship Union, John Evans, from New York.
Brigt. Neptune, Allyn Boyd, from Philadelphia.
Schooner John and Mildred, Willock Macky, from Virginia.

Cleared for Departure,

Shallop Charming Polly, Thomas Ropes, for Boston.
Schooner Peggy, William Davis, for Virginia.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, Administrator of Thomas Gassaway, *deceased, for Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Paper Money, on the 24th Day of* November *next, the two following Tracts of Land, lying in* Anne-Arundel *County, in the upper Parts of the Forks of* Patuxent *River*, viz.

ONE Tract of Land, called *Upland*, containing 420 Acres, whereon is a Plantation that has been seated about three Years, and is a good Place for raising of Stock: Also one other Tract of Land, called *Hammond and Gist*, containing 500 Acres. The Sale to begin at 12 o'Clock on the above mentioned Plantation.

JOHN GASSAWAY.

CHOICE LIMES, at *Seven Shillings and Six Pence per Hundred*, to be SOLD by

THOMAS FLEMING.

RUN away on the 19th of *October*, from the Subscribers, of *Kent* County, three Convict Servant Men, viz.

Elisha Bond, about 45 Years of Age, understands Fiddling, having one with him; is a lusty Man, of a brown Complexion, and has light Eyes, his Hair bushy, and mixt with grey. He is a *West Countryman*, and speaks that Dialect. He had a blue grey Coat well worn, a red Jacket lin'd with Yellow, a Pair of black Leather Breeches, and a Pair of Trowsers.

Roger Stamp, about 40 Years of Age, of middling Stature, wears his own Hair, and is a little Bald, of a fair Complexion, speaks *West Country*. He had a white Kersey Coat, an old Castor Hat much worn, has two new Osnabrig and one white Shirt, and a white Fustian Jacket and Breeches.

William Hardy, about 50, a Man of good Learning, a Master by Trade, of middling Stature, and pale Complexion. Had on a natural curl'd brown Wig, a brown Coat, and a black Jacket.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Masters may have them again, shall have *Six Pistoles* Reward for the Three, or *Two Pistoles* for each, paid by

MICHAEL HACKETT.
EBENEZER PERKINS.
WILLIAM WILMER.

Mr. GREEN,

I SOME Time ago in your Paper, published an Advertisement, desiring the several Gentlemen that I had complimented with the Loan of Books, to return them; but as that has not had the desired Effect, I desire you will publish the following Catalogue:

Tale of a Tub.	*Devil upon Two Sticks.*
Shamela.	*Fortunate Country Maid.*
Spanish Inquisition.	*Hippolitus.*
Court Kalender.	*Parry's Life.*
Devil Hermit.	*Fortunate Peasant.*
Rozelli.	*Marlborough's Life.*
Gulliver's Travels.	*Prince Eugene's Life.*
Ovid Traverstie.	*Czar of Muscovy.*

Cum multis aliis, quæ nunc præscribere, longum est.

I am, Sir, Yours, &c.

THOMAS GOUGH.

JOHN CROSLAND, *late from* LONDON,

HEREBY gives Notice, That he mends all sorts of SHOES and BOOTS, after the neatest Manner, and at the most reasonable Rates.

The said *Crosland* lives at the Widow *Widdab's*, near Mr. *Burdus's*, in *Annapolis*.

RUN away on the 13th of *October*, from *David Long*, Blacksmith, an *Irish* Servant Man named *John Griffin*, a Weaver by Trade, about 24 Years of Age. He is a full-faced likely Fellow, talks much of being a Soldier, is pretty much given to Drinking and Singing, and has sore Legs. He had on when he went away, an old check Shirt, an old brown Coat, a Cotton Waist-coat, a pretty good Castor Hat, an old pair of Pumps, and an old pair of Cotton Stockings.

Whoever brings the said Servant to the Subscriber, living near *Annapolis*, not far from Mr. *Rutland's*, shall have Three Pounds Reward beside what the Law allows.

DAVID LONG.

TO BE SOLD,

PART of two Tracts of Land, one call'd *Heir's Purchase*, the other *Jubb's Discovery*, lying on the North Side of *Severn* River; both Tracts containing 107 Acres, situated very convenient for a Ferry, one being now kept on it by *John Burle*. For the Title and Terms of Sale, enquire of

BENJAMIN FOWLER.

RAN away on the 12th of this Instant *October*, from the Subscriber of *Annapolis*, a Servant Man named *John Flack*, alias *Evans*, a short, sprightly, artful, sly, smooth-tongued Fellow; is much given to Liquor, and when drunk very Impudent. He has run away, and been advertised several Times before this. Is much mark'd with Gun-Powder, having the representation of our first Parents sitting under a Tree, on his right Breast; four large Dots under his Right Eye; the Letters I, O, H, N, on one Hand, and F, L, A, C, K, on the other; beside many other Marks on his Body and Arms.

Whoever takes up the said *Flack*, and brings him to the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward.

WILLIAM THORNTON.

TO BE SOLD *by the Subscriber, on board his Ship the* Marshall, *lying at* London-Town,

CHOICE OLIVES in Cases, fine *Florence* Oyl, fine *Devonshire* Kersey, Table Linen, Osnabrigs, Eartnen Wares, and sundry other sorts of Goods, at reasonable Rates, for Paper Money or Sterling.

JOHN FEARON.

JUST Imported by the Subscriber, variety of coarse and fine *Irish* Linens, Osnabrigs, Checks, *Manchester* Wares and Threads, Broad Cloths, Kerseys, Half Thicks, Frizes, Bays, striped Flanels, and *Welsh* Cottons, Nails and Iron Ware of all sorts, *&c.* Also a quantity of fine Salt. All to be Sold at reasonable Rates in Wholesale or Retale.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber on open Accounts, are desired to call and pay their Ballances, or give Notes for the same, on or before the first Day of *January* next, to save further Trouble to

JAMES DICK.

ANDREW BUCHANAN, Wig-maker and Barber, keeps his Shop right over against the Sign of the *Indian King* in *Annapolis*, where any Gentlemen may be furnish'd with all sorts of Wiggs made in the best and newest Fashions: And those Gentlemen who shall be pleas'd to favour him with their Custom for Shaving, may depend on being duly attended, with good Razors, by

Their humble Servant,

ANDREW BUCHANAN.

N. B. There is likewise an *Evening School* kept at the same Place by the Subscriber, who Teaches Writing, and Arithmetic, from Six o'Clock 'til Nine.

JAMES BROWN.

LOST, on the last Day of the Fair, on the Race Ground near this City, a very good Castor Hat.

The Person who finds and brings it to the Subscriber, shall have Five Half-Crowns Reward.

JOHN MURRAY.

RAN away from *William Mackubin*, of *Baltimore* County, near the head of *Back-River*, the 27th of *September* past, a lusty Country-Born Negro Man named *Will*; he has a scar on his Cheek occasion'd by a Burn when he was a Child.

Any Sheriff, into whose Custody the said Negro may be committed, is desired immediately to give Notice to his said Master,

WILLIAM MACKUBIN.

Lately Imported, and to be Sold by William Govane, *at his House near* Annapolis, *very Cheap, by Wholesale,*

A PARCEL of choice Osnabrigs, Coffee, Iron-Pots, Kettles and Skillets, of various sizes; *West-India* Rum, Mollasses, *New-England* Soap in small Boxes, Train Oyl, Maple Desks, and Rush-bottom Chairs of the best Make and Fashion.

STOLEN or Strayed from *Bladensburg*, last *April*, a large bright Bay Gelding, with no particular Mark or Brand that is discernable, his Head and Nostrils pretty large, his common Gate a Gallop, tho' he can Pace and very fast, but so hard as not to be Rode with any satisfaction, and has been used to be shod all round.

If by this description he can be found, and brought to the Subscriber, the Person bringing him shall be entitled to a Reward of Three Pounds Currency.

DAVID ROSS.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land called *Bloomsbury*, containing 400 Acres, lying in the Freshes of *Great Choptank* in *Talbot* County; it was taken up by, and Patented to, *Richard Hopewell*, and adjoins to a Tract called *The Irish Discovery*, which joins to a Tract called *Baker's Plains*, which last mention'd Tract has been lately proved.

Any Person inclining to Purchase, may know the Terms by applying to the Subscriber in *St. Mary's* County, near the Mouth of *Patuxent* River.

JOSEPH HOPEWELL.

WILLIAM HAYES, Chair-maker from *Philadelphia*, now lives in *Annapolis*, and hereby gives notice, That he will furnish any Gentlemen, or others, with all sorts of Rush-bottom Chairs, made in the best and neatest manner and at the most reasonable Rates.

WILLIAM HAYES.

N. B. The said *Hayes* lives at the Lower End of *Bay-Street*, where *William Hudson* lately dwelt.

ALL Persons Indebted to the Subscriber, living at the Sign of the *Indian* King, in *Annapolis*, are requested to make Payment.

MARY FRASER.

JUST IMPORTED from Glasgow, *by* James Johnston, *in the Snow* St. Andrew, *and to be Sold at his Store in* Annapolis, *by the Subscriber*,

A LARGE Cargo of *European* Goods, consisting of Cotton, Oznabrigs, Blanketts, Rugs, Kerseys, Broad Cloths, *English* and *Scotch* Half-thicks, Check Linnens of all sorts, *Irish* Linnens, striped Hollands, Bed-Ticking, Tartan Blanketting, Yarn Stockings, Worsted and Cotton Caps, Leather Breeches, Linen Handkerchiefs, Men and Womens Worsted and Thread Stockings, Men and Womens Shoes and Pumps, Negroes Falls and Brogues, Gun-Powder and Shot, Nails, broad and narrow Hoes, all sorts of Axes, Ironmongery, Stationary, Cutlery, *&c. &c. &c.* Callicoes, Tamalls, and sundry sorts of *India*, and other Goods, too tedious to be mentioned.

ROBERT SWAN.

N. B. All Persons Indebted to the said *James Johnston*, as well before as since his Departure from *Maryland*, are once more desired to settle and pay off their respective Ballances. And any Person having a quantity of Shippable Tobacco on hand, for present Sale, may have either Goods or Money for it, by treating with

ROBERT SWAN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that *Richard Lewis*, Saddler, who formerly kept his Shop near the Church in the City of *Annapolis*, now keeps his Shop just by the Gate-House, and furnishes any Gentlemen with all sorts of Sadler's Work, done in the neatest and best manner.

THE said *Lewis* has several Shoemakers, very good Workmen, where all Persons may be supply'd with all sorts of Shoes and Boots, made in the the best and neatest manner.

NOTICE is hereby given, That *Thomas King*, Shoemaker, who formerly kept his Shop at the Gate-House of the City of *Annapolis*, now keeps his Shop at the Old Prison, where all Persons may be supply'd with all sorts of Shoes and Boots, made in the best and neatest manner.

THE said *King* has a Sadler, a very good Workman from *London*; who furnishes any Gentlemen with all sorts of Sadler's Work, done in the neatest and best manner, at reasonable Rates.

NICHOLAS CLOUDS, hereby gives Notice, that he keeps good Boats and Hands at *Broad Creek*, in *Kent-Island*, to cross the Bay to *Annapolis* with Gentlemen and their Horses, and likewise, from *Annapolis* to *Kent-Island*. He also gives Notice, that he keeps a House of good Entertainment for Gentlemen and Travellers, and has good Pasture and Provender for Horses; and keeps a Number of Horses to Let to Gentlemen Travelling to any part of the Eastern-Shore, and has Boys to attend them: All Gentlemen who may have occasion to Travel that way, may depend on good Usage, and being well accommodated, by

Their humble Servant,

NICHOLAS CLOUDS.

August 30, 1747.

TO BE SOLD,

(For Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange)

A TRACT of Land called *Grantham*, in *Kent* County, containing 500 Acres, situate on *Chester-River*.

Whoever is inclinable to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscriber in *St. Mary's* County, or at *Annapolis* next Provincial Court.

G. PLATER.

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